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In re Application of: Wolfgang Jantzen

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action (Part of Paper No./Mail Date 10) dated November 18, 2004 which finally rejected the above-identified application, please amend that application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.